

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) A religious object comprising:
  - a necklace;
  - a pendant secured to said necklace, said pendant having a front face and a rear face; and
  - at least one piece of wool;
  - wherein said front face and said rear face of said pendant define a cavity therebetween, said at least one piece of wool is disposed within said cavity of said pendant, and at least one of said faces includes an opening which exposes said at least one piece of wool such that said at least one piece of wool can be in physical contact with a wearer from within said cavity.
2. (Original) A religious object as recited in claim 1, wherein said pendant is made from a metal.
3. (Previously Canceled)
4. (Previously Presented) A religious object as recited in claim 1, wherein said religious object further includes a second pendant, said second pendant having a front face and a rear face defining a cavity therebetween, and wherein a second at least one piece of wool is disposed within said cavity of said second pendant.
5. (Previously Presented) A religious object as recited in claim 4, wherein at least one of said faces of said second pendant includes an opening-exposing at least one piece of said wool from within said cavity of said second pendant.

6. (Currently Amended) A religious scapular comprising:

a necklace;

a first pendant and a second pendant each of said pendants having a front and a rear face that define a cavity therebetween; and

a plurality of pieces of wool;

wherein at least one of said plurality of pieces of wool are disposed within at least one of said cavities of said first and second pendants, and at least one of said front and rear faces of said first and said second pendant includes an opening, wherein said opening exposes at least one of said plurality of pieces of wool are exposed from within at least a respective one of said cavities such that at least one of said plurality of pieces of wool can be in physical contact with a wearer.

7. (Previously Presented) A religious scapular as recited in claim 6, wherein said necklace includes first and second chains forming a loop, said first pendant is secured to said first chain, and said second pendant is secured to said first and second chains.

8. (Previously Presented) A religious scapular as recited in claim 6, wherein at least one of said faces of said first and second pendants includes an opening, wherein said opening exposes at least one of said pieces of wool from within the respective said cavity.

9. (Previously Presented) A religious scapular as recited in claim 6, wherein said first and second pendants are made from a metal.

10. (Previously Canceled)

11. (Previously Canceled)

12. (Previously Canceled)
13. (Previously Canceled)
14. (Previously Canceled)
15. (Previously Presented) A religious object as recited in claim 1, wherein said front and rear faces are held together by at least one attachment mechanism.
16. (Previously Presented) A religious object as recited in claim 15, wherein said at least one attachment mechanism is a pin.
17. (Previously Presented) A religious object as recited in claim 15, wherein said at least one attachment mechanism is a hinge.
18. (Previously Presented) A religious object as recited in claim 17, wherein said at least one attachment mechanism further includes a latch to secure said front and rear faces together.
19. (Canceled)
20. (Canceled)
21. (Canceled)
22. (Canceled)